

# HAID CODE OF CONDUCT

Version 1.0 • For HAID Press, community spaces, events, and collaborations

---

## 1) Our Purpose

HAID exists to explore big ideas—science x philosophy x art—through dialogue, curiosity, and responsible creation.

We aim for clarity without cynicism and mystery without fear.

## 2) Our Standard

In all HAID spaces (online, in-person, published, and collaborative), we commit to:

- Respect: Treat people as ends, not obstacles.
- Curious rigor: Challenge ideas strongly, without attacking people.
- Stewardship: Build and share with care; consider downstream impact.
- Transparency: Be honest about uncertainty, sources, and limitations.
- Agency: Encourage informed choice; avoid coercion or manipulation.

## 3) Expected Behaviour

You are welcome here when you:

- Engage in good-faith dialogue (ask, listen, clarify).
- Disagree with specific reasoning (not personal insults).
- Use clear language and avoid unnecessary heat.
- Respect boundaries, privacy, and consent.
- Credit contributors where appropriate and avoid misrepresentation.

## 4) Unacceptable Behaviour

HAID does not tolerate:

- Harassment, bullying, threats, hate speech, or demeaning language.
- Sexual harassment or unwanted sexual attention.
- Doxxing, stalking, or sharing private information without consent.
- Deliberate misinformation presented as fact, especially in ways that could cause harm.
- Impersonation or misrepresenting affiliation with HAID, HAID Press, VBI, Navin, or collaborators.
- Spam, trolling, or disruptive behaviour that derails discussion.

## 5) AI Use and Integrity

HAID embraces AI as a tool and collaborator—while staying accountable:

- If you use AI to produce content in HAID spaces, don't pretend it was purely human-written when that matters.
- Don't use AI to generate deceptive content (fake endorsements, fake screenshots, fake citations).
- Respect IP: don't upload or reuse material you don't have rights to.

## 6) Reporting & Enforcement

To report concerns, email [press@thehaid.com](mailto:press@thehaid.com) with what happened, when/where, who was involved, and any screenshots/links. We handle reports discreetly where possible.

HAID may warn, remove content, suspend access, or permanently remove participants to protect the community, especially where there is credible risk of harm.